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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed September 23, 2005, Applicant offers the following Response and requests reconsideration of the above-captioned application.

CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on November 15, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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